

Application No. 09/824,771
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Applicant: Karl J. URQUHART, et al.
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Docket Number: Serie 5658

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 3, 2004, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of May 14, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are not included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listings of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are not included in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

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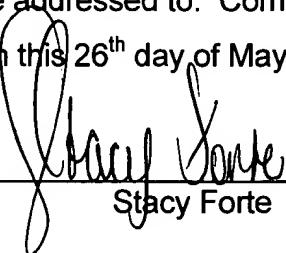
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